

*The Carnegie Center for the Arts  
and  
Dodge City Community College  
present  
a one-woman performance:*

# *Always a Lady*



*Written and performed by Kay Kuhlmann*

*Monday, June 11, 1990  
Carnegie Center for the Arts  
Dodge City, Kansas*

*Always a Lady* presents moments in the life of General Dwight D. Eisenhower's lady from their 1916 San Antonio courtship through his eight-year presidency. Mamie recounts events along the way: the death of the couple's beloved first son; Mamie's attempts to create homes in 38 different military posts; her triumph over the "other woman" rumors emanating from Ike's World War II duty in Europe; the origin of the famous "Mamie bangs" and other fashion trends she inspired.

*Always a Lady* ultimately illuminates the First Lady, five decades of change in America, and the man alongside the lady: Ike as only Mamie knew him.

*Kay Kuhlmann* recently wrote and directed *I Have Stood at the Open Door* presented in the restored Stach School on the museum grounds in Topeka. She is a Ph.D candidate in the Theatre Department at the University of Kansas and completed M.A. work at the University of Missouri, Kansas City. *Always a Lady* is the first in a series of First Lady dramatizations based on historical researched planned by Ms. Kuhlmann.

*Meet Mamie Doud Eisenhower, for 53 years the wife of soldier, statesman, and 34th President of the United States!*







# THE KANSAS CHAUTAUQUA

June 12 - 15, 1990

DODGE CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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## Monday, June 11, 1990 - Pre-Chautauqua Events

Kansas Chautauqua Tent Installed ..... Dodge City Community College Campus  
11:45 a.m. ✓ "Always A Lady" - Kay Kuhlmann as Mamie Eisenhower ..... Carnegie Center for the Arts  
CHRIS Lunch and performance \$4. Reservations required - call 316-225-6388. 2nd + Spruce

## Tuesday, June 12, 1990

10:00 a.m. ✓ Adult Workshop - "Songs of the Westward Movement" -  
CHRIS Don Koke ..... Manor of the Plains Community Room  
Hosted by Manor of the Plains  
10:15 a.m. ✓ Children's Workshop - "Laura Ingalls Wilder's Frontier Stories" -  
DENNIS Karen Ray ..... Dodge City Public Library  
Hosted by Dodge City Library Consortium  
7:00 p.m. ? Pre-performance - Sagebrush Singers ..... Dodge City Community College Campus  
7:30 p.m. ✓ Teddy Roosevelt - John Lehman ..... Chautauqua Tent  
JOHN J.

## Wednesday, June 13, 1990

9:30 a.m. ✓ Adult Workshop - "Art, History and the Image of the American West" -  
CHRIS John Lehman ..... 443 AD, BUILDING  
Hosted by Kansas Heritage Center, Room 101  
2:00 p.m. ✓ Children's Workshop - "Storytelling" (Pioneer Stories)-  
CHRIS Joyce Thierer ..... Boot Hill, Old House Saloon  
Hosted by Boot Hill Museum  
7:00 p.m. ? Pre-performance - Barb Keiser ..... Dodge City Community College Campus  
7:30 p.m. ✓ Laura Ingalls Wilder - Karen Ray ..... Chautauqua Tent  
DENNIS 2-25

## Thursday, June 14, 1990

10:00 a.m. ✓ Children's Workshop - "Songs of the Santa Fe Trail" -  
CHRIS Don Koke ..... Boot Hill, Old House Saloon  
Hosted by Boot Hill Museum  
1:30 p.m. ✓ Adult Workshop - "Movers and Shakers: Radical Women of Kansas" -  
CHRIS Karen Ray ..... Dodge City Public Library  
Hosted by AAUW Book Discussion Group  
7:00 p.m. ? Pre-performance - Sweet Adelines ..... Dodge City Community College Campus  
7:30 p.m. ✓ Dwight David Eisenhower- Loren Pennington ..... Chautauqua Tent  
JOHN J.

## Friday, June 15, 1990

9:30 a.m. ✓ Adult Workshop - "Kansas Farm and Ranch Women" -  
CHRIS Joyce Thierer ..... 4-H Building  
Hosted by Ford County Extension Homemaker's Council  
10:15 a.m. ✓ Children's Workshop - "Meet Colonel Roosevelt" -  
DENNIS John Lehman ..... Dodge City Public Library  
Hosted by Dodge City Public Library  
7:00 p.m. ? Pre-performance - Mark Carter and Bruce Hartnett .... Dodge City Community College Campus  
7:30 p.m. ✓ All Chautauquans ..... Chautauqua Tent  
DENNIS 2-15

- All workshops last approximately one hour and are open to the public, free of charge.
- Children's workshops are for ages 6 - 13 years.
- The Chautauqua Exhibit will be on display at the Dodge City Public Library during Chautauqua week (June 11-15) during library hours.
- Evening performances are \$2 per person each evening.
- Gate and concessions open at 6:30 p.m.
- Seating is limited but attendees may bring their own lawn chairs.
- Alternate bad weather site is the DCCC Little Theatre.
- Child care for ages 3 - 8 years is available at the DCCC Child Development Center- \$1 per child per evening. Reservations required - call 316-225-3020.

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